18 graduate at Southside

The Southside School of Practical Nursing, co-sponsored by the Southside Community Hospital and Prince Edward County Public Schools, held the thirteenth commencement exercise for 18 students, the largest class ever to graduate, on Sunday, September 12, 1982 at the Farmville Presbyterian Church. The ceremony marks the completion of one year of theoretical study and clinical experience.

Dr. James M. Anderson, Jr., Division Superintendent of Prince Edward County Public Schools congratulated the Class of 1982 and introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Gloria Stafford, R.N., B.S.N. a former instructor of the School and presently director of nursing at Eldercare.

After reviewing some of the highlights of the previous year, she related the importance of team work in patient care and the significance of the nurse as a patient advocate.

Mr. James B. Towler, Hospital Administrator of Southside Community Hospital, presided and presented the graduating class.

Diplomas were awarded by Mrs. Woody B. Hanes, R.N., B.S.N., Director of the Southside School of Practical Nursing, and Class pins by Miss Marilyn Gresham, R.N., B.A., instructor at the school. Each graduate received a rose from Mrs. LaNette Coleman, R.N., Director of Nursing at Southside Community Hospital, and the Farmville Auxiliary of the Gideons International presented each graduate with a New Testament.

The class gift, an audio-visual storage cabinet for filmstrips and cassettes, was presented to Mrs. Hanes by the Class President, Mrs. Maureen Borum.

Expressions of thanks from Mrs. Hanes went to all who have endeavored to make the school a success, namely Prince Edward County Public School Board, Southside Community Hospital Board of Managers, physicians, nursing staff and many individuals who support the school by their participation in the education of the nursing students. Mrs. Hanes also left the students a challenge, "Be the Best that you can Be."

The organ interludes by Mrs. Walter Robinson and the vocal solos by Mrs. Qneta Watson greatly enhanced the ceremony. The Reverend Steve Teague, minister of the Farmville Baptist, give the invocation and the benediction. Following the commencement program, a reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Church. Refreshments were provided by the Dietary Department of the Hospital and served by hostesses of the Hospital Auxiliary.

In Powhatan

Arts, crafts show set

The Powhatan Junior Woman's Club's Annual Arts and Crafts Show will be held at the Powhatan High School gymnasium, Powhatan, Virginia, on Sat., Nov. 20, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday, Nov. 21, from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

The public is invited to come and spend a relaxed day in the country browsing, Christmas shopping, and sampling homemade goodies. There is no admission charge.

This promises to be an interesting and varied show with 65 artists and craftsmen exhibiting their handmade wares. A few of the items to be offered include oil paintings, handmade furniture, watercolors, jewelry, quilts, leathercrafts, and Christmas ornaments and decorations. Broom-making and other demonstrations are also done.

Directional signs will be placed along Route 60 and 13.

Johnson honored

Kim Johnson has earned a cash award for the National Guild for composing a 64 measure composition "Quiet Evening."

The Virginia Federation of Music Clubs has presented cash awards to the following composers Meg Seifter, Chantel Sauls, Emily Casper, Patricia Chandler. Patricia also received second place in the Senior division for the state.

First place in the State Essay Contest was received by Nancy Morris for the music essay.

Superior Plus ratings were received from the National Guild for composing for the following: Rick Pack, Bobby Hart, Kim Johnson, Jennifer Roach and Karen Pearson.

The above are students of Mrs. J. Franklin Vaughan.

On Nov. 11

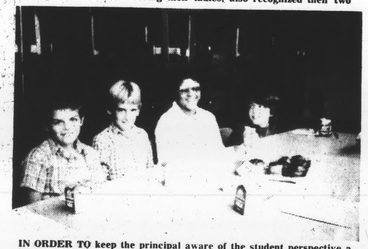
DMV offices to close

All Division of Motor Vehicles offices and driver's testing stations will be closed Thursday, November 11, Veterans Day.

Many vehicle license agencies will be open those days, however, and DMV suggests you call first to be sure.

Otherwise, DMV offices are open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, from 8:30 to 4:30, and Thursday, 10:00 to 6:00.

THE APPOMATTOX LIONS CLUB enjoyed the song, dance and theatrics of the "Jacktails," an entertainment group from Ferrum College, at their Ladies' Night dinner meeting last Thursday. The Lions, in addition to honoring their ladies, also recognized their two charter members, the Hon. Watkins Abbitt, Sr., and Dr. Clyde O'Brien. The meeting marked the club's 43rd anniversary in Appomattox. (Photo by Bill Sherrod)



IN ORDER TO keep the principal aware of the student perspective a Student Advisory Council meets monthly to discuss student concerns. At Appomattox Elementary School selected on the basis of leadership and academic proficiency these students are recognized for their responsibility to the school. Representing the third grade is Chantel Sauls; fourth grade, Jason Carter; fifth grade, Dusty Wilhoit; six grade, Keshia Haskins. We at Appomattox Elementary School are very proud to have these four students serve in this capacity. Shown above is the Council in a milk and cookie session with the principal.

4-H Club News

Thursday, October 14 Mrs. Hansen's 5th grade 4-H Club met. Jennifer McCormick led us in the 4-H pledge and Stacy Roach led us in the pledge to the American Flag. Our recreation leaders led us in the games 3 men, eraser, and lost child.

We also turned in our projects and chose new ones. Then we discussed Share-the-Fun which will be held November 29-December 3 and we watched slides of previous Share-the-Fun programs.

Special recognition was given to Kristen McDonald, Cindy Padgent, Daryl Dawson, Thomas Moore, Janet Austin, Laura Bradley and Dean Nash for being chosen by their classmates to be 4-H officers.

Laura Bradley, Your Reporter

Mrs. Turner's 4-H Club

Mrs. Turner's sixth grade 4-H club met on October 15, 1982. President Stacy Davis began the meeting and afterwards we said the pledges. Then our recreation leaders led us in some stimulating games like Artist in the Dark.

Then the Vice President, Melanie Morris, told us the program for the month was picking your 4-H yearly projects. He stressed the fact that you should complete all projects. Other points of interest were Mr. Sweet showed us slides on Share-The-Fun program and told us the dates of Share-The-Fun. They are November 29 - December 3.

Stacey then adjourned the meeting.

By Sharia Kvasnicka Reporter

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November Program Guide

DAY LIGHT	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9:00	FRAN CARLTON					JIMMY HOUSTON OUTDOORS	THE HYDE PARK HOUR
9:30	JANET SLOANE AEROBIC DANCE/EXERCISE					SEW-VIDEO	ZOLA LEVITT LIVE
10:00	MEDICINE MAN	THE AMERICAN BABY	MEDICINE MAN	TAVI	THE AMERICAN BABY	THE NAME OF THE GAME IS GOLF	KENNETH COPELAND
10:30	THE PICTURE OF HEALTH					FINANCIAL INQUIRY	
11:00	THE BODY BUDDIES					SCUBA WORLD	ORAL ROBERTS
11:30	SEW-VIDEO	THE GOOD EARTH JOURNAL	TAVI	SEWING WITH NANCY	CAREER WOMAN	THE A PLAY	JIMMY SWAGGART
NOON	THE CABLE STORE					JIMMY HOUSTON OUTDOORS	
12:30	THE GOURMET	NEW ANTIQUES	CAREER WOMAN	MOVIEWEEK	THE GOURMET	MEDICINE MAN	THE FIRST NIGHTER
1:00	MURIEL STEVENS					GAME CHALLENGE	FAIRY'S PLACE
1:30	SUSAN NOON					PHOTOGRAPHERS EYE	THE NAME OF THE GAME IS GOLF
2:00	HOME BASED BUSINESS	SEW-VIDEO	SEWING WITH NANCY	THE AMERICAN BABY	CONNIE MARTINSON	NOW MAGAZINE	REAL ESTATE ACTION LINE
2:30	CAREER WOMAN	TAVI	THE GOOD EARTH JOURNAL	NEW ANTIQUES	GAME CHALLENGE		
3:00	SPN MOVIE						
3:30							
4:00							
4:30	PAUL RYAN						
5:00	NOSTALGIA						
5:30							
6:00	CONNIE MARTINSON	GAME CHALLENGE	WOK WITH YAN	THE GOOD EARTH JOURNAL	FAIRY'S PLACE		
6:30	NIKKI HASKELL	THE EDDIE ROBINSON SHOW	PHOTOGRAPHERS EYE	HOME BASED BUSINESSES	MOVIE-WEEK		
7:00	NOW MAGAZINE	THE NAME OF THE GAME IS GOLF	MEDICINE MAN	THE FIRST NIGHTER	NIKKI HASKELL		
7:30	MOVIEWEEK	JIMMY HOUSTON OUTDOORS	CAREER WOMAN	CONNIE MARTINSON	INVESTORS' ACTION LINE		

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The South 40

Leaf growers meeting slated

By JAMES A. SMITH
Extension Agent

The small membership meeting of the Virginia Dark Fired Tobacco growers Marketing Association will be held at the New Randolph Warehouse, 2:00 P.M., Friday, November 5.

You'll be interested in hearing about support prices, grading fees and the assessment fee for the "no-cost" program.

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In the recent days the casual monitoring of soil test results reveals some serious problems with pH. There is obviously a need to determine whether lime is needed and how much to apply.

Fall is a preferred time to get soil fertility information and lime if necessary.

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A frequently overlooked area when soil testing is the tobacco plantbed. We are finding many plant bed sites very low in pH. Plants just don't grow off as well and the fertilizer isn't adequately utilized.

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Wool producers will deliver their wool November 12 to New Farmers Warehouse in Lynchburg. Clear wool sells for 46c. There is also an incentive payment for wool producers.

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Steers at the 2nd feeder sale in Lynchburg averaged $66.52 per CWT and heifers averaged $53.01.

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There's a new milk product that went on the market in Georgia and Florida a month ago, called UHT milk. UHT is ultra high temperature milk or unrefrigerated milk. We can expect it to be fairly widely marketed in 1983.

Unrefrigerated milk can be stored on the pantry shelf for up to three months. This new product is the same high quality product you are accustomed to, but it is flash heated to 280°F and then cooled quickly to 70°F. There are no preservatives in UHT milk and it retains the flavor, nutrition of traditional pasteurized refrigerated milk.

UHT-milk is packaged in specially developed containers made of five different layers - three plastic, one aluminum and one paper. This innovative package seals out light and air which normally reduce shelf life.

UHT is being marketed as white whole, white lowfat and lowfat chocolate. Convenient individual servings called "Sip-Ups" come packaged in half-pint containers and are available in five flavors: chocolate, vanilla, banana, strawberry and fruit punch.

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There appears to be a small number that will require recertification as "private applicators." This training will be offered November 15 at the District Extension Office, 1:30 P.M. and 7:30 P.M.

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Before lighting up the woodstove or fireplace this fall, be sure to check for creosote and soot accumulation. General rule is clean these areas if the accumulation is greater than 1/8 inch. Inspect the flue and chimney at least once a month if the stove is used continually.

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Due to the rising costs of heating and cooling the use of sealed insulating glass has increased 26 percent over 1981. Double glazing reduces conductive heat transfer by about 40 percent compared with single glass.

Knoll Crest animals are APHA award winners

KCF Lady Victor 892, a Polled Hereford cow owned by Knoll Crest Farm, Red House, Va., was recently named a Gold Performance Dam by the American Polled Hereford Association (APHA).

The Gold Performance Award recognizes outstanding performance at qualified bull test stations across the nation. To achieve Gold Performance status, a cow's sons must accumulate 35 points at these qualified bull tests. Points are earned on the basis of progeny superiority for yearling weight and average daily gain.

Lady Victor earned this recognition on the performance of four sons who completed 140-day feed tests with yearling weights more than seven percent above the average and average daily gains 11 percent above the average of the other bulls on test.

EPH Vic Domino J11, a Polled Hereford bull owned by Elwing Polled Herefords, Pierce City, Mo., Hickory Hill Farm, Blacksburg, Va., and Knoll Crest Farm, Red House, Va., was recently named a Gold Performance Sire by the American Polled Hereford Association (APHA).

J11 achieved his Gold Performance ranking with the testing of 16 sons in three bull tests.

Oakville Ruritans elect officers for coming year

The Oakville Ruritan Club elected the following officers for 1983: President, Cloud Abernathy; Vice President, Norman Gagneur; Secretary, Jack Goin; Treasurer, Otho W. Martin, Jr.; Directors, Basil J. Lucado (3 year), I. Cecil Handy (2 year), and W. Lathan Harvey (1 year).

In other business, plans were for refurbishing the interior of the Oakville School, also details of the annual Christmas Tree Sale were finalized. Members will cut and bring the trees back to Appomattox on December 4.

STONEWALL QUEEN MAGGIE 2121 was named Junior Calf Champion at the 1982 Virginia State Fair. The Feb. 17, 198[illegible] daughter of Sir Wms. Warrant was exhibited by Stonewall Farm of Appomattox. Show above with the animal are (from left) Darla Morris (Vi[illegible]nia Angus Queen), Mrs. Peggy Butler, Bill Butler (owners of the farm, [illegible]d Diane Reed and David Reed, farm manager.

Farmville Christmas show being planned

The Third Annual Farmville Christmas Show and Sale, "Christmas At Home," will be sponsored this year by the Farmville Chamber of Commerce and the Town of Farmville. It will be held at the Farmville Memorial Armory on Sat., Nov. 13, 1982 from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. and on Sun., Nov. 14 from 1 until 5 p.m.

This year the show and sale will feature Christmas in the way of a flower exhibit sponsored by the Town and Country Beautification Council, a holiday fashion show, Christmas merchandise, arts and crafts, floral decorations and much more for you to enjoy.

The Fashion Show, "Festive Fashions," will feature something for the entire family. Merchants from Farmville will be furnishing the latest styles from children's apparel to the dressest dress to wear to the gala social event. The Fashion Show will be held at 3:00 on Saturday and again Sunday afternoon at 3:00.

The rest of the show is designed to help you do some of that Christmas shopping you have been putting off. Some of our local merchants are B & M Greenhouse, Jean and Jo's Crafts, Crutes, The Imp Shoppe, Carter's Flower Shop, Rochette's, The Rice Paddy, Caryn's Creations, Cindy's Handy Crafts, Jen's Cake and Craft Shop, Corner Cupboard Ltd. and The Doll House. Each business will be trying to out do each other in bringing you their holiday and festive gifts, crafts and supplies. Some of our other participants are coming from Hampden-Sydney, Cullen, Dillwyn, Richmond, Mechanicsville, Cumberland, Burkeville, Dewitt, Nottoway, Appomattox, Meherrin, Amelia, Charlotte Court House, Farmville, New Canton, South Boston, Lynchburg and Low Gap, N.C. These people will be bringing you the best quality in doll houses and miniatures, candy making, cake decorating, bakery breads, 3-D Art, paintings, watercolors and china and porcelain paintings.

They will also have wooden toys, knitted and crocheted items, ceramics, stained glass, mineral and jewelry making, macrama hangers, wreaths, crypus clocks and Christmas ornaments.

It should be an exeiting and gala event that I'm sure you would not want to miss. The doors will open at 11 a. m. on Saturday and we are looking forward ot seeing you there.

Edward Briley in exercise

Navy Boiler Technician 2nd Class Edward R. Briley, son of Thomas B. and Frances S. Briley of P.O. Box 81, Appomattox, Va., recently participated in exercise "READEX 3-82", in the Western Atlantic.

He is a crewmember aboard the frigate USS Glover, homeported in Norfolk.

During the three-week exercise, individual ships conducted unit training, including naval gunfire support and live firing of surface-to-air missiles against drone targets.

The exercise culminated in a "war-at-sea" involving the aircraft carrier USS Nimitz and various destroyers, frigates, submarines, and support ships. The final phase tested the overall fighting capabilities of the naval task force.

The Glover is 414 feet long and carries a crew of 248. It is armed with guns, missiles and anti-submarine torpedos and rockets.

Meeting cancelled

The Appomattox County Assembly will not meet this week as originally scheduled.

The Assembly will meet next week in its regular session. Assembly officials ask that members plan to attend. The date, time and place for the next meeting will appear in next week's paper.

Ben Martin

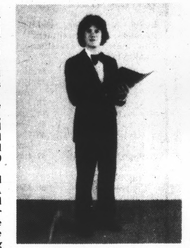
Local youth set for FFA trip

Benjamin E. Martin of Spout Spring will join Future Farmers of America (FFA) members from all across the country to provide music and entertainment for more than 23,000 FFA members and guests at the organization's 55th National Convention, Nov. 11-13, in Kansas City, Missouri.

Martin, who is a member of the Appomattox Senior FFA Chapter, is the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin. He was selected to be part of the 104-voice National FFA Chorus from more than 220 applicants.

Participants are recommended for the chorus by their state FFA associations and their high school vocational agriculture instructor and choir director. They are selected on the basis of these recommendations, past singing experience, and high school achievements in both FFA and choral music.

The National FFA Chorus will be directed by Stan Kingma, Assistant to the President of Wheaton Industries, Millville, N.J., and former Musical Director at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.



Benjamin E. Martin

The organizational and operational expenses incurred by the National FFA Chorus are provided for by Hallmark Cards, Incorporated of Kansas City, Missouri, as a special project of the National FFA Foundation, Inc.

At RMWC

'Adelines' to perform

The Lynchburg Chapter of Sweet Adelines will present their 22nd annual show November 6, 1982 at 8 P.M. at Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Smith Auditorium.

The theme for this year's performance is "Jazz . . . and More" and will feature a Jazz Combo from the Lynchburg area and a guest quartet from Alexandria, Virginia called "Vaudeville".

A portion of the proceeds will be given to ARCC for their building fund (formerly called Lynchburg Area Association for Retarded Citizens.)

Tickets are $4.00 in advance and $4.50 at the door.

The Lynchburg Chapter was founded in 1961 and at present have 47 members from Lynchburg and surrounding area.

The Director is Carol Lee and assistant director is Margaret Tucker from Forest. The show chairman is Bettie Almond and co-chairman is Carter Martin.

Elementary PTA meets, discusses coming projects

The Appomattox Elementary School PTA held its first meeting for the 1982-83 school year on October 14, with President, Buster Jackson presiding. With a standing room only auditorium, parents listened as Mr. Jackson outlined the year's activities and projects. Following the business meeting parents were invited to attend school and play student. As the roles of parent and student were reversed, the evening offered much in the way of gaining insight into their child's day at AES. Many teachers discussed the Basic Learning Skills and Standards of Learning, texbooks, schedules, hints for helping your child at home, and others involved the parents in learning activities.

Mrs. Linda Hansen, fifth grade teacher, involved her parents in a Family Feud game. Her students had composed questions related to their fifth grade curriculum and parents and child challenged each other with prepared questions. The parents thoroughly enjoyed matching wits with other parents and the students greatly benefited by seeing their parents involved with their education in a fun and exciting fashion.

Mrs. Hansen, pictured above with two parent teams, and class use the questions prepared for Family Fued as a study guide for tests and future reference.

All parents are urged to join the PTA and attend our next meeting on Thursday, December 9, at 7:30 p.m. when a fabulous Christmas play will be presented.

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